

# The Adair County News

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## Gone to Her Reward.

Last Sunday, at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Sarah E. Barger, after a long illness, crossed over to the other side, the end coming at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ores Barger, who resides two and a half miles from Columbia.

The deceased would have been 72 years old had she lived until the 3rd of next May. She was the oldest child of Anderson and Louvenia Murrell and was born and reared near Clear Spring, this county. She was a woman of strong mind and a well read historian, and interesting person with whom to converse. She was well versed in local biographies, and was often called upon by the younger set for histories of their descendants. She made it a business to keep up with trees, so to speak.

When quite a young woman she was married to Samuel H. Stevenson, and they commenced their married life in Russell county, near Esto. To this union three children were born, M. O. Stevenson, Mrs. Ores Barger, who live near Columbia, and Rev. R. E. Stevenson, who is a citizen of New Mexico. She also leaves a stepson, Mr. G. M. Stevenson, of this place, who never knew any other mother. The first wife of Mr. C. R. Royse was also a step-daughter.

Ten years after the death of her first husband she was married to Col. D. B. Barger, a prominent citizen of Russell county, who died eight years later.

The deceased was a devoted member of the Methodist Church, and like the true woman that she was, she filled every station in life, that she occupied, with fidelity.

The funeral services were held at Mt. Pleasant church, Russell county, conducted by Revs. Goodman and Beck Monday, and the interment was near the church. Notwithstanding the day was disagreeably cold, quite a number of relatives and friends were present.

The surviving children have the consolation of knowing that their mother was ready for the call, that she is now free from pain, and will be at the gate to welcome them when they come to the celestial home.

## Rules for Fighting Grip.

To escape the gripe avoid crowds; keep away from persons who cough and sneeze. Don't ride when you have only a short distance to go. Walk. Get plenty of sleep, with window open. Walk a mile every day in the open air. If you get it keep by yourself as much as possible. If you feel ill go to bed and stay there. Send for a reliable doctor. Cover your face when sneezing and don't expectorate in public. See that your eating and drinking utensils are washed separately from those of the rest of the family. Don't take the patent grip remedies.

Mr. Thos. J. Rosson, who lived at Rugby, this county, died one day last week. His death was not unexpected, as he had been confined to his bed for months, a victim of pulmonary trouble. He was between fifty-five and sixty years old, and was a man who had many friends in the neighborhood. He leaves a wife, one son and one daughter.

The American Magazine grows more popular every day. The February number is one of the best the company ever issued and it should be a welcome visitor to country libraries. The information it contains is valuable and of great interest. If you are not a subscriber for the splendid magazine you should send for it. Address 381 Fourth Ave, New York City.

One wing of the dam at Smith's mill, on Russell's creek, broke several weeks ago, and it has been gradually washing away since, until now but little of it is left. The mill is being operated altogether by an oil engine.

Mr. W. T. Price lost a Jersey heifer, eighteen months old, last Wednesday. She was well worth fifty dollars. She was sick about one week, the skill of a veterinary bringing no relief.

Mrs. R. E. Tandy sold W. E. Todd five Bourbon Red turkeys which brought her \$14.50.

Born, to the wife of J. D. Holladay, January 13th, a son.

## Advocate of Good Roads.

To citizens of Adair and Russell:—

I have been thinking of all occupations of life, and the one most needed in our county is a good paper published, say the Adair County News, with a man like Mr. Harris, who takes so much of his time to advocate good roads for our counties, and to think how little credit our people will give him. Hold up your editors hands, and help him to do all the good he can for our poor counties that need such help. Don't kick on your editor, but help him, and he will help us. We know if we don't have a good live paper to assist us in many things, we are in a bad shape in this poor country. By the help of The News we can make this country one of the best in the world. We should go to work and improve the fertility of our land so we can make our corn crop without any fertilizer, sow clover an turn under all the clover we can, and in a short time we can make more corn without fertilizer than we are making with it, and save hundreds of thousands of dollars for the poor people of our country. If a fertilizer agent were to ask me to buy from him for my own crop, I would tell him no. If a boy has been reared to put in more corn than he can cultivate right, it will be hard to get him out of that idea, but as soon as you can do so, it will be better for you and our country, for it is better to put in less corn and more clover and grass. Some old fathers will say to their boys, that when they went to school they had to split timber for seats, and they seem to want their boys and girls to go through this world just like they did. Now let us parents get out of this old foggy idea and let our children have the best we can afford, for life is too short to cut them out of the great opportunities that we can give them. Just think of the boys pleading with their fathers to bond our county for the purpose of building better roads, and their fathers saying no. Then your boys will leave father and mother with tears in their eyes, for the West, where they can have some opportunity. Now let's build good roads, good school houses, and give our boys inducement to stay at home, where they can be so much pleasure. What is life? It is what we make it. I have heard fathers say, my boys are in the West and if we don't get the Dixie road I guess I will go too. I hope as soon as their fathers go to the West, that the boys will come back to their good country where they were reared. Just think of Adair county, one of the best counties in the State, not voting for good roads! Those who voted against the bond issue, will see the day when they can look back and see how little they know. The bonds are a very little thing for you to pay. You would never know the difference when you paid it. We have been paying tax and nothing to show for it. Now lets do something that we and the rising generation will be benefited, and our poor farmers can make a living for their children.

J. H. Phelps.

## They Continue to Come.

Gill & Waggener's special sale will continue through Tuesday, the 25th inst. People swarm the store daily, buying goods at great reduced prices. The stock is large, plenty for every body. Come daily until the 25th. Clerks in every department. If you want to save money, now is the time. Gill & Waggener.

Be sure and see the basket ball games Friday night, Shepherdsville vs. Lindsey-Wilson. Saturday night, Shepherdsville vs. Columbia High School. It is understood that Shepherdsville is much stronger this year than formerly.

The number of new cases docketed for this term of court are as follows: Nine ordinary; fourteen equity; thirty-five misdemeanors; six felony. There are a large number of cases continued from last term of court.

Last Wednesday was a warm, sultry day, but during the night a cold wave struck this section, and Thursday morning a light snow was falling and it was disagreeably cold.

Read the bargains offered by Russell & Co., published in to-day's News.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

Dr. J. N. Page and Mr. A. O. Taylor who have been partners in the drug business, in this place, for the last three years, have dissolved, Mr. Taylor going out. From now on the business will be conducted solely by Dr. Page, who is known throughout this section as an experienced druggist, one who has made the business a life time study. Mr. Taylor is also a registered pharmacist, a very reliable gentleman, and will seek a location elsewhere. This partnership was dissolved by mutual consent, the very best of feelings prevailing.

Mr Taylor will remain with Dr. Page for several weeks.

## Defeated 9 to 8 by the University of Louisville.

On next Friday night the boys' and girls' teams, of Shepherdsville, will play the boys' and girls' teams of the Lindsey-Wilson in a double header. The girls of Shepherdsville have been defeated by only one team in two years and that was the University of Louisville who have the champion girls' team of the State. Louisville defeated there 9 to 8. Games begin at 7:30. Admission 25 cents

## To Teachers.

The common school law absolutely forbids any teacher to teach on Saturday. Saturday teaching will not be counted. Teaching a holiday counts no more than any other day and lost time can not be made up by teaching holidays. Arbor Day can be taken as a holiday provided the teacher and pupils meet and render some sort of a tree day program, or at least plant a few trees. Otherwise it must be taught as any other day. Outside of holidays, and school rally days attended by the teacher and school, the full time must be taught in order to receive full pay.

Very Respectfully,  
Tobias Huffaker, Supt.

## A Fine Jersey Heifer for Sale.

If you want to raise a good Jersey cow buy this heifer. She is a fine prospect, about 16 months old. 11-2t. C. S. Harris.

The first day of circuit court brought a great many people to Columbia and all classes of business was good throughout the day. There were quite a number of mules on the market and a few sales made at fair prices.

## Boarders.

We will open a Boarding House Monday, Jan. 16. Your patronage solicited. Location, Dr. Taylor property on Campbellsville pike near public square. Mrs. Geo. E. Wilson. 11-2t

Rev. R. V. Chapin will return home next Friday, the 21st, and will fill his regular appointments at the Presbyterian church on Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock and at 6:30 at night. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend these services.

Very truly,  
R. V. Chapin.

Bring your mules to Columbia next Saturday.

At the opening of circuit court there were representatives here from Russell, Cumberland, Casey, Taylor, Metcalfe and Green counties. The Adair county courts are invariably largely attended. More people means more business.

During circuit court we ask all subscribers who are behind at this office to call and make payment. This notice also applies to parties who are owing for job-work and advertising.

Miss Mary Pierce, daughter of the late Rev. Jo Pierce, Roy, this county, was recently married to Mr. Charles Evans, of Russell Springs.

The swarm at Gill & Waggener's store is a self evident fact that advertising pays. Since the sale opening the store has been like a bee hive.

Remember the basket ball game at the High School Gym next Saturday night.

## Circuit Court.

The January term of the Adair circuit court opened last Monday, a small crowd being in attendance. The docket is about up to the usual, and the full two weeks will likely be occupied in disposing of the business.

Judge Carter and Commonwealth's Attorney Huddleston arrived at noon, and the grand jury, composed of twelve good men, were instructed by the court and immediately went to work.

The following gentlemen make up the two Juries:

### GRAND JURY.

J. F. Patteson, W. T. McFarland, J. W. Moran, Warren Moore, J. A. Garrison, H. A. Walker, Dallis Perkins, Jas. Cooley, J. M. Corbin, Junius Hancock, foreman, T. E. Jeffries, H. A. Murrell

### PETIT JURY.

H. P. Barger, Creed Pollard, Mont Corbin, J. Z. Dulworth, Matthew Robinson, Porter Sexton, J. W. Reese, Chas. Sparks, W. A. Humphries, Roy Garmon, J. L. Hurt, Braxton Massie, Clint Smith, Luther England, L. B. Hurt, C. M. Bault, J. Z. Collins, J. W. Vaughan, Abner Brockman, J. P. Doloney, F. J. Harvey, T. A. Holladay, W. C. Murrell, Theo Powell.

### RESERVE

W. H. Wilson, Jo Nat Conover, Ben Conover, W. B. Dulworth, J. A. Garrison, H. C. Feese.

"Aunt Bettie Knifley," as she was familiarly called, a fine old lady, died near Knifley, this county, last Thursday night. She was 88 years old, and highly respected.

No. 6769.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT COLUMBIA, IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DEC. 31st, 1915.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b) .....	\$119,594.50
Total Loans .....	119,594.50
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) .....	\$25,000.00
Total U. S. Bonds .....	25,000.00
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to Secure Postal Savings deposits .....	17,685.34
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged .....	\$17,685.34
Total bonds, securities etc. ....	17,685.34
Subscription to Stock of Federal Reserve Bank .....	3,000.00
Less amount unpaid .....	1,500.00
All other stocks, including premium on same .....	2,000.00
Banking house .....	4,398.67
Due from Federal Reserve Bank Due from approved reserve agents in New York Chicago and St. Louis .....	\$335.57
Due from Approved Reserve Agents in other Reserve Cities .....	\$11,147.17
Due from Banks and Bankers [other than included in 10 or 11] Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank .....	763.83
Outside Checks and other cash items .....	428.70
Fractional currency, nickels and cents .....	428.70
Notes of other National Banks .....	400.00
Federal reserve notes .....	50.00
Coin and certificates .....	6,842.45
Legal-tender notes .....	700.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer .....	1,250.00
Total .....	197,591.82
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in .....	25,000.00
Surplus fund .....	25,000.00
Undivided profits .....	3,000.00
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid .....	1,210.18
Circulating Notes outstanding .....	24,500.00
Due to Banks and Bankers [other than included in 28 or 29] .....	67.51
Individual deposits subject to check .....	121,139.50
Total demand deposits, Items 32 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, and 39 .....	\$121,139.50
Total .....	\$197,591.82

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss: COUNTY OF ADAIR ss:

I, E. H. Hughes, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. H. Hughes, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Jan., 1916.

Mae Stults  
Notary Public  
My Commission expires at ending of 1916 Leg  
isature.  
Correct—Attest:  
Henry N. Miller,  
J. F. Montgomery, Director.  
Z. P. Williams, Director.

## Blood Hound in Columbia.

Mr. T. B. Short, Manager of the Rapid Transit Company, reached Columbia a few days ago, from Lexington, with a full blooded imported blood hound. He is well trained and is six years old. This information will probably not be received with gladness by parties who are in the habit of picking up things, or breaking locks.

Wanted at Lindsey-Wilson wood 4 feet, and 18 inches for heating stoves, also hogs net. 12 tf. Moss & Chandler.

## Marriage Licenses.

Walker Bryant, county court clerk, has issued the following licenses since the beginning of the New Year: W. H. Mitchum, to Mrs. A. Sapp; J. A. Bryant to Lucy Rosson; Charles M. Evans, to Mary W. Pierce; V. M. Collins, Montra Aaron; Pleas Keith to Callie Berpo.

## Must Settle.

All persons indebted to the late firm of Page & Taylor, must call and settle at once. The partnership has been dissolved, and the old business must be wound up. 12-2t Page & Taylor.

## Basket Ball.

There will be a game of basket ball between Shepherdsville and the C. H. S. boys on Saturday night, Jan. 22, at the High School Gym. This promises to be a good game. Come!

Regular 20c Coffee 17c; 15c coffee 12½c at Albin Murray's.

Cottage for rent. Mrs. Sallie Bradshaw.

The following have been the sales-ladies and salesmen at Gill & Waggener's store since the beginning of the reduction sale: Mrs. J. C. Strange, Mrs. J. W. Walker, Mrs. E. L. Feese, Mrs. G. F. Stults, Mrs. L. L. Eubank; Misses Mary Lucy Lowe, Emma Robertson, Kate Gill; Messrs. T. C. Taylor, J. W. Walker, J. B. Coffey, H. K. Taylor, Bert Epperson, Frank Jeffries, J. A. Williams, Fayette Davis; Masters Fred Davis, Robert Gill.

The meeting at the U. B. church continues, and quite an interest is being manifested. Several have appeared at the altar for prayer, and perhaps there have been some conversions.

The meteor which gave such a brilliant light in the element last Wednesday morning a short time before day light, was seen here by several different persons.

Rev. Degarmo will preach at the Baptist Church this (Tuesday) night, Jan. 18, 1916. You will miss a treat if you fail to hear him.

A gentleman who is keeping up with the market, advises the farmers not to sell their wool until they shear their sheep.

Easter Sunday will come a little late this year, the 23d of April. A little more time to get hats ready.

Next Saturday will be mule day in Columbia. Read J. M. Howell's advertisement in the paper to-day.

Thermometers varied here last Monday morning. Some registered 1, 2 below, others, 2 and 4 above.

Attention is called to the business card of Mr. J. B. Jones, an undertaker, of Columbia.

Born, to the wife of Rev. Chesterfield Turner, Louisville, January 13, a daughter.

Attention is called to the Parlor Circle "ad." Three good shows this week.

Read the statement of the First National Bank, published on our first page.

Born to the wife of Guy Nell, January 11, 1916, a son.

## Clearwater, Fla.

## Editor News:

December the 20th, at two o'clock a. m., we said goodbye to loved ones and took the automobile for Campbellsville. It was a lovely moonlight night, but pretty cool, and in fact we thought it cold before we reached C-ville, but were soon comfortable after going in to the Beard Hotel, where a red hot stove greeted us. At six o'clock we took the train for Wilmore, Ky., reaching there at two o'clock in the afternoon. We were met by Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, of London, Ky. They took us to their father and mother's home where we remained until 9:30 next morning. In company with Mr. and Mrs. Wilder and two interesting little boys, we left for Danville, Ky., where we had a two hour wait, then boarded a fast train for Clearwater, Fla. Our next stop was at Jacksonville, Fla. We got there at 11:30 next day. This is a beautiful city. We went to the depot, which, I think the prettiest I ever saw. We rested, had lunch, then took a street car for the ostrich and alligator farm, six miles out. On arriving, we went into a little store where all kinds of curios were on display, various things made of alligator hides etc. We paid twenty-five cents each, for tickets. First we went to see the ostrich. They were in a lot twenty-five or thirty in number. The male ostrich is much larger and prettier than the female. They are a very peculiar looking bird. They are as tall as an average man, and very strong. Some boys were riding them. Their feathers had recently been taken, and they were not near so pretty as when full feathered. We were told they have twenty-six wing feathers and sixteen tail feathers, and they take them every eight months. We saw some of their eggs in an incubator, one egg averaging thirty-six hen eggs. Their weight is from three to four pounds. The ostrich is matured at four years of age, and lives to be from sixty to eighty years old.

We then went down to St. John's river, and watched the large boats run. Then back to see animals of most every kind. We saw the oldest lion in captivity, his age being unknown. He feeds on milk, eggs and fresh meats daily, and walks around and around all the time. We saw Bears, the fallow deer, the pelican, which is a very peculiar looking bird, the prettiest parrots I ever saw, and lots of other things I can't take time and space to tell about. I did not go

to see the alligators, but my friends did. The animals are trained to do a great many things. They have one two hundred and fifty years of age. Not long since he got hold of a boy's arm and wounded it so badly it had to be amputated. We left feeling well repaid for our trip.

At nine o'clock we left for Clearwater. Spent another night on train, reaching here at seven fifteen in the morning, ending a nine hundred and twenty-five mile run from Wilmore, Ky. Clearwater is a beautiful city on the bay. About thirty-five hundred people live here but a great many more here through the winter season.

There are lots of lovely homes here and this is certainly a land of flowers. Some of the prettiest flowers I have ever seen grow here. No street cars, but the streets are wide enough for them. Lots of automobiles, but few buggies, as it is hard on horses to pull through the sandy land.

After reaching here we were soon domiciled in a beautiful home of a Mrs. Wilder, a sister-in-law of Mr. Wilder, she being away for the winter, left home all ready for us to go to house-keeping. We are only a few yards from the Bay. We go out to the docks and watch the boats run. I counted nineteen at one time. There are lots of fish caught here. They sell at ten cents per pound, the cheapest meat we can get. We enjoy picking up shells on the shore. This has long been a desire of my heart.

We visited a packing house a few days since. This is quite an interesting place. The fruit is washed and dried by machinery. Then assorted, wrapped and packed by hand. They get four cents a case for grapefruit and five cents a case for oranges. The fastest hand told me he made on an average of five dollars per day. Said when he began he only made seventy-five cents. Then a dollar. This is hard on the wrist and hand until they get limbered up. The men who make the cases get one cent a case. One man said he could make five and six hundred cases a day and the one who closed the cases gets three quarters of a cent a case. He said he had made eight dollars a day but seven was an average.

I must tell you about the bridge across the Bay. It is out from the heart of the City, one and a half miles. It is a thousand feet long and wide enough for automobiles to pass each other. We walked out on it quite a distance, was getting late and

we did not get to go all the way across. This bridge is just below the railroad bridge we came over to Clearwater.

The grapefruit, orange and tangerine orchards are certainly beautiful. I was in one of those orchards a few days since, and a lady whom I was with called my attention to a peach tree in full bloom. I can't hardly realize this is January, as it is so different to any I ever saw. It is like real summer in Kentucky. We haven't had but little fire since we came. I am sitting in my room now between two open windows, enjoying the pleasant sea breezes, and my thoughts are of you people, who perhaps are shivering with cold. This is claimed to be a very healthy place. More later if this finds a place in your valuable paper.

Mattie Sinclair.

## The Habit of Taking Cold.

With many people taking cold is a habit, but fortunately one that is easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 degree F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

## Death of S. T. Walker.

Samuel Theophilus Walker passed away at his home in Forest City on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. He was 85 years, 11 months and 3 days old.

He was born in Columbia, Ky., on January 30, 1830, and came to Havana in 1850, making the trip on horseback. He moved to Forest City in the early sixties and worked in the general store of George Walker. Later he went into partnership with Alexander Cross and finally became sole owner of the store. He was postmaster at Forest City from 1898 to 1913, when illness compelled him to retire. He has also served as township supervisor and town clerk.

At the age of 33, on April 12, 1863 he was married to Julia Ann Fosket, this marriage having the distinction of being the first wedding solemnized in Forest City. They were the parents of ten children, five of whom died in infancy. One daughter, Mrs. Susie Walker Langston, died March 30, 1899. There are living three daughters and one son: Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas of Havana, Mrs. Patsy Walker Barnes, Miss Polly Walker and Kelso Walker of Forest City. Besides the children and his aged wife, there are five grandchildren.

Mr. Walker was a member of and a faithful worker in the Methodist church for a half century. Although his health has

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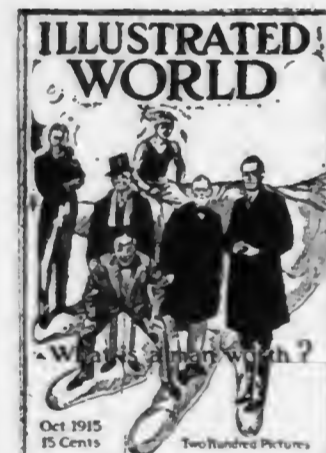
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Read Our Liberal Paper Ofrefs

## Trifled with Lunatic.

Father's farm lay between high hills whose stony tops seemed to shut out all intercourse with the outside world. Small wonder that Sister Flora and I felt depressed that summer afternoon, for the rest of the family had gone to a meeting of the Grange, leaving us alone in that lonely valley.

After wandering aimlessly around the farm we climbed to the loft of an old log corncrib where Flo, laying aside the dignity of her sixteen years, proceeded to help me make a troupeau for my doll. We were deep in the complications of a Dally Varden hat when, happening to glance down where the road entered the valley, we were electrified to see a young woman coming on the run.

As she came near we saw she was the daughter of a farmer who had lately come to the neighborhood.

"Why, Lucy, what's the matter?" we called.

"Hide me quick," she gasped. "Crazy Charley's coming with a long knife. Just in fun I asked him to marry me, and to-day when everybody had gone to the Grange, he came, and when I wouldn't go with him to Squire Hoffer's he went mad and tried to kill me. I got away from him by taking to the woods, but—oh, dear, I hear him coming now!"

"Go around behind and climb up here," I told her as distant mutterings sent chills up and down my spine. But the maniac must have seen her through the shrubbery, for he made a bee line toward our refuge.

"I seen you, you lyin' hussy," he screamed, brandishing his knife. "I'm goin' to cut your lyin' tongue out, and I'm goin' to wash my hands in the blood of every girl in this region!"

We had known him as a crack-brained fellow going from house to house seemingly happy if given a place by the cook stove, where he would sit and chant hymns until summoned to the dinner table. Being a master hand at splitting rails or hoeing corn, he was generally welcome, as he would work for a week for a cast-off vest or a pair of shoes.

Through an open chink we breathlessly watched him try his knife's edge. His hands were trembling, his usual mild eyes glittered, his hat was off, and his stringy hair fell in disorder over his sweaty, convulsive face as he began whetting the knife on a grindstone near.

"If we could only get him started on one of his hymns," I whispered. Flo nodded. I

## An Old Kentucky Home

Since I Began  
Taking Peruna  
I Weigh 120

Pounds for the

First Time in

My Life. My

former weight

was 102 lbs. My

Mother who is

76 Years Old

Had Grown so

Weak She could scarcely walk.

She also took Peruna and is fleshier and looking well.



The above splendid woman is Mrs. Hattie Hamilton, of 918 Glen Ave., Latonia, Ky. She recommends Peruna to all housewives. Address The Peruna Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of the "Tills of Life."

started on his favorite. "There is a Fountain Filled with Blood."

I sang it through without any apparent effect on the transformed creature at the grindstone. This was followed by, "I Would Not Live Always; I Ask Not to Stay." Still the ominous whetting.

Then hope died, and I laid my head on Flo's shoulder, waiting for the worst. She drew me to her, and in a strong, triumphant voice began to sing "Rejoice and be Glad," but instead of her usual flute-like voice she imitated his tones.

Lucy sat up and stared. The whetting stopped, then he began to beat time with that long knife, and soon joined in, making the hills reverberate to his measured chant. Gradually the fury faded from his face, and when our parents came a half an hour later, smiling at the music in the air, he had forgotten Lucy's "treachery" and was ready for supper.

## War Upon Pain!

Pain is a visitor to every home and usually it comes quite unexpectedly. But you are prepared for every emergency if you keep a small bottle of Sloan's Liniment handy. It is the greatest pain killer ever discovered. Simply laid on the skin—no rubbing required—it drives the pain away. It is really wonderful!

Mervin H. Solster, Berkeley, Cal., writes: "Last Saturday, after tramping around the Panama Exposition with wet feet, I came home with my neck so stiff that I couldn't turn. I applied Sloan's Liniment freely and went to bed. To my surprise, next morning, the stiffness had almost disappeared, four hours after the second application I was as good as new." March, 1915. 25c. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

I keep on hands a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metallic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearses. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office phone 98.

45-1 yr Ad J. F. Triptett, Columbia, Ky.

Justice Lamar of the Supreme Court died Sunday after a long illness. He was appointed five years ago by President Taft. He was from Georgia, and a Democrat.

Do you want a Poland China? I have two extra good gilts, beauties, will weigh 140 pounds. Mated with a registered Duroc, to farrow early in April. Price \$15.00 each. Also two that will weigh about 90 or 100 pounds for \$10.00 each. If you want something good this is your opportunity.

11-2t. C. S. Harris

The Prison Commissioners state that when the convicts are worked on the roads, that there will only be need for one penitentiary, but there will be need for more prison guards as they will be worked on the roads in small squads.

Francis M. Head, of New Hope, one of the oldest distillers in Kentucky, died at Los Angeles, Ca.

The Germans have completed the capture of the positions taken by the French just before Christmas.

Judge Tracy, of Covington, has ruled that he can't restrain the liquor traffic in Covington and Newport on Sunday.

Ada Renan, the great actress, is dead.

Mr. Mat S. Cohen, Commissioner of Agriculture, married Mrs. Mayfield, a widow of Mayfield.

## Foxes

\$2.50 to \$4.00 each; Coons \$1.25 each Grey Squirrels 25c. each. Send them to W. T. HODGEN, Box 232, Campbellsville, Ky. 1-tf.

Fifty thousand boards for sale at Casey Jones Store.

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"Hon. Harvey Helm has introduced the following bill in the House of Representatives: Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the following sums of money be, and are hereby, authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, and under the supervision of the Chief of Engineers, for the construction, completion, repair, and preservation of the public works herein after named: For the construction of Lock and Dam Numbered Twenty (to be known under the new plan of the Department of Engineers as Lock and Dam Numbered Seventeen, and hereinafter known and styled as Lock and Dam Numbered Seventeen) on the Cumberland River above Nashville, Tennessee, in Kentucky: Provided, That the Secretary of War may enter into a contract or contracts for such material and work as may be necessary to prosecute and complete said Lock Numbered Seventeen, to be paid for as appropriations may be made from time to time therefor, not to exceed \$517,000, the amount estimated as the cost of said lock and dam in the plan recommended by the Department of Engineers in the report of February fourth, nineteen hundred and fourteen."

The Republican National Convention and the Progressive National Convention will be held in Chicago at the same time. It is very evident from reading reports from various States, that an effort will be made to have the two parties unite on a Republican for the Presidency. It is further in evidence that the Progressives will urge the selection of Mr. Roosevelt and the Republicans will decline to accept him.

Although no reply to the United States demand has been received from Carranza by the State Department, officials at Washington are not inclined to doubt the good faith of the Mexican General in the assurances of speedy punishment of the bandits responsible for the massacre of Americans.

Gov. Stanley has taken steps to have tents sent to Hickman, where the high water has forced people from their homes.

## MID-WINTER WHITE SALE

On Wednesday, January 19 we will inaugurate our annual White Goods Sales. In anticipation of higher prices on Linens and Cotton Goods, we have bought heavily in these Stocks, and can truthfully say, that we will show the most complete assortments of these goods ever shown in Columbia. The line embraces in part, all goods and prices in Linens, Nainsooks, Long Cloths, Pajama Cloths. Dimities, Mercerized Batiste, Plain and Seed Voiles, Swisses, Mercerized Organdies, Skirting Twills, Piques, Crepes, Crepe De Chene, Novelty Checked Shirts, Poplins, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bed Sets, Quilts, Table Linens, Napkins, Crashes, Towels, Flouncings, Embroideries, Laces, Spring Style Dress Gingham, Percals, Suitings, &c.

We Advise you to Buy These Goods Early  
Prices are Advancing

In this sale we will give CLOSING OUT PRICES on all Winter Goods, Mens and Womens

\$1 00 Underwear Garments 79c  
75c " " 58c  
50c " " 38c  
25c " " 19c

5 50 All Wool large size Bed Blankets pr. \$4 50  
2 50 Wooll Knap Bed Blankets pr. 1 95  
Cotton Bed Blankets from 50c to \$1 75 pr.  
4 00 Wool Padded Bed Comforts \$3 25  
1 50 White Cotton Padded Bed Comforts 1 15  
1 00 Grey Cotton Padded Bed Comforts 89c

A large assortment Mens Womens and Childrens Sweaters at Cost. We include in this cut price sale everything in Winter Dress Goods.

60c Storm Serge, Assorted Shad yd 48c  
60c French " " " 48c

Other desirable goods at like reductions. We are closing out our entire stock of American Beauty and Madam Grace Corsets at Manufacturer's Cost.

Ladies and Misses Coat Suits  
Odd Coats and Skirts.

\$20 00 Ladies Coat Suits \$12 75  
17 50 " " 10 00  
12 50 " " 8 50  
11 00 " " 7 75  
10 00-12 50 Odd Coats 7 75  
7 50-\$9 00 " " 5 50  
1 Lot 25 Misses Cloaks \$1 50 to \$3 75

Ladies Odd Skirts reduced 25 to 35 per ct  
Ladies \$1 00 Wool Knit Petticoats 79c  
50c Cotton " 38c

Big Assortment Winter Gloves for Men, Women and Children 25 per cent. off

Mens \$15 00 Suits \$12 00  
" 12 50 " 9 25  
" 10 00 " 7 75

1 00 Boys Norfolk Suits, assorted from \$1 50 to \$4 50 formerly priced at \$2 50 to \$6 00

Our stock of Mens, Womens and Childrens Shoes and Overshoes is complete—we are making liberal reductions in this department.

6 000 yards Assorted Calicoes in Winter and Early Spring Styles at 4c per yd.  
5 000 yards 10c Bleach Cotton 8c per yd.

We invite you to come and look over the largest general stock of Merchandise in this section of Kentucky.

## Russell &amp; Co.

The National Committee of the Progressive party met in Chicago last week to arrange for a national convention to be held in that city in June. Eight hundred rooms were engaged at the various hotels to accommodate delegates. A cheering note was received by the committee from Theodore Roosevelt.

Hon. L. T. Neat, who represents Adair and Cumberland, introduced the first bill in the House, to repeal the tax on dogs. He was also appointed on the following Committees: Corporate Institutions, Codes of Practice, Internal Improvements.

Garland Stephens, a boy, brought about the arrest at Booneville, Ind., of George H. Fink, Bookkeeper of an Evansville buggy company, who was missing with a valise containing \$17,000 of the company's pay roll funds.

S. J. Weller, who was cashier of the Dundee Bank, Ohio county, committed suicide last week. The books are being investigated.

Victorians Huerta, once the provisional President of Mexico, died last week.

Hon. Robert Antle, State Senator from the 16th district, fared well in the Committee appointments. He was placed on five or six. He is a diligent worker.

## Owensby.

The health of the community is better than when we last wrote.

As 1915 has passed and forever gone and we are entering upon the duties of another, we should each and every one strive to make this the greatest and grandest year of our lives.

M. L. Owens bought a cow from Will Garr for \$40.00.

One more week of school at Moore schoolhouse. As Prof. Lawrence had to be in Georgia the first of the year to take charge of a graded school, Willie Leach, of Jamestown, has been employed to finish out his part of the school.

John Vaughan and Paul Grider, who are attending school at Jamestown, report a fine school and good attendance.

Aunt Nancy McFarland and daughter, Dollie, still remain in a poor health.

Mrs. Thomas Wells, who is at the home of her father, James McKinley, is reported quite sick with heart trouble.

On the morning of the 29th of December, at about 4 o'clock, a severe wind hit this part, blowing down trees, fencing, and also moving L. C. Grider's barn about a foot.

Grover McKinney, who is selling Bigler's stock and poultry remedies, was through here one day last week.

The musical entertainment at Ernest Barger's, on Saturday night the 8th inst., by Esto's string band, composed of Marcus Phelps, H. Haynes, E. Morgan, Fox Bros., and others, was reported a success.

While en route to Mrs. S. E. Wolford's, one day last week, Louis Wilson, in company with Mrs. S. B. Collins and Mrs. Martitia Carter, drove over a stump, Mrs. Carter falling out on her head. Fortunately no damage done, except a sore head and neck.

James, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oaks, is reported quite sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Wm. Cook, who has been a victim of pneumonia, we are

glad to state is on her road to recovery.

Uncle Calbert Blair, of Roy, is visiting his son, L. C. We are informed he will spend six months with his son.

Aunt Betsey Ann Wooldridge, sister of the late Stant Wooldridge, is reported dangerously ill. Later dead.

As the Legislature is now in session at Frankfort, and each and every member is sworn to do their full duty, we hope some laws will be repealed and many good ones written upon the statutes of our grand old State.

There are two measures we would be glad to know would become laws during this session. First a law requiring each and every county in the State to keep two thoroughbred blood hounds at the county, making their evidence the same as a person.

We are of the opinion that with this law in force, crime would decrease and many that are now criminals fleeing from justice would be landed where they rightly belong.

Rev. J. A. Wallace, the new circuit rider on the Jamestown charge, filled his regular appointment at Bethlehem the 2nd Sunday.

## Personals.

Mr. Romie Judd is at home for a few days.

Mrs. Emily Burton, who was quiet sick last week, is improving.

Miss Fannie D. Shirley is a victim of double pneumonia, and was very ill last week.

Miss Lonie Taylor, Campbellsville, visited Mrs. J. B. Barbee and Mrs. C. C. Carroll last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Kinnaid, of Red Lick, and Judge J. W. Kinnaid, of Edmont, were here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Gadberry, who have been living in Illinois for two years, were here last Wednesday, en route to their old home, Font Hill, Ky.

Mr. E. G. Shaw has removed with his family from Columbia to Campbellsville. He has quite a lot of work engaged for that place. He has the best wishes of his friends here.

Rev. Jesse L. Murrell, who was a brother of Mrs. Sarah E. Barger, and who is stationed near Lebanon, reached here just before his sister died and was at the bedside when the end came.

Mr. Berry Buster and wife, of Creelsboro, were here Monday, in company with Dr. J. I. McClendon, en route for Elizabeth Hospital, Lebanon, Mrs. Buster to undergo an operation.

## Additional Locals.

### February Woman's Home Companion.

The February Woman's Home Companion not only has splendid fiction by well-known writers, but excellent, special articles and features.

Among the short story contributors are Mary E. Wilkins Freeman, Mary Heaton Vorse and Sophie Kerr. They present a lively and attractive group of stories. The two big serials "The Rising Tide" and "Chloe Malone" are continued by Margaret Deland and Fannie Heaslip Lea. "The Geranium Lady" is concluded by Sylvia Chatfield Bates. Address The Companion 381 Fourth Ave., New York City.

### Take Notice.

The insurance firm of Browning & Winfrey has been dissolved. Mr. T. R. Stults succeeding Mr. Winfrey and the firm is now Browning & Stults. This firm has several reliable companies, both fire and life, and will be thankful for all business received. Office over Murray's dry goods store. 11-2t.

### Reached His Majority.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hutchison entertained last Sunday in honor of their son, Hugh, who had reached his twenty-first birthday.

Quite a number of relatives and friends with well-filled baskets were in attendance, and when dinner was announced such an abundance to behold, from the substantial part of life to the daintiest of dainties.

Hugh was the recipient of many useful and valuable presents—one among which being an elegant watch, which was an heir-loom of his mother's family—this he should treasure as a sacred gift and preserve for future generations.

He is a diligent pupil of the L. W. T. S., preparing himself to fight life's battles and it is the wish of his many friends, that he may be eminently successful in his undertakings during life. XX

The county board of equalizers finished its work last week. But few property holders out in the county were raised. In the corporate limits of Columbia many lists were raised.

### Take Notice.

All accounts due me not paid by the first of February, will be placed in the hands of a collector. If you want to save cost, heed the notice. 11-2t.

J. F. Patteson.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

### ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Rachel E. Grissom, Extr. of  
W. R. Grissom, deceased, Pltf.  
vs.  
Sam Ferrell, &c. Def.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Sept. Term, thereof, 1916, in the above cause, for the sum of thirty-seven and 31-100 dollars with the interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 7th day of Feby., 1916, until paid, and her costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 7th day of Feb'y, 1916, at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: Four certain tracts of land lying and being on the waters of Pettis Fork creek, in Adair county, Ky., the first tract contains 49 acres, the second tract contains 81 acres, the third tract contains 2 acres, the fourth tract contains 4 1-2 acres. Said lands are known as the John Ferrell lands. For more complete description reference is made to the Judgment and Order of Sale in Order Book 14, Page 453 of the Adair Circuit Court Clerk's office. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

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C. S. Harris.

Boards and Fence posts for sale at Casey Jones Store. 7-tf.

### For Sale.

My farm containing one hundred and ninety-five acres, lying on Pettis Fork creek, four miles south of Columbia. This farm is well improved and very productive of corn, wheat and tobacco. 11-2t.

Annie Allen.

### Notice.

I will pay cash for all kinds of country produce. Will pay 15 cents for butter. Will sell coal oil in 50 gallon barrels for 13 cents. An iron barrel for \$4.00. A 30 gallon barrel for \$3.50. J. P. Hutchison.

### A General Stock of Goods for Sale.

I desire to sell my entire stock of dry goods. The business is being conducted in one of the best business houses which I will rent. The stock is clean, and the purchaser will be given a bargain.

Mrs. W. L. Walker.

### Farm for Sale.

My farm containing 200 acres, three miles northeast of Columbia, and one mile from Campbellsville pike. Call on me. 10-5t.

W. R. Williams.

Fifty thousand boards for sale at Casey Jones Store. 7-tf.

Mr. Sam McCaffree is saving his ammunition and at the same time he is destroying the propagation of squirrels. He went hunting last Wednesday and killed three grown squirrels at one shot.

### Nell

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Combs have been on an extended visit to Red Lick and Edmont. Mrs. Combs is in poor health, but reported better at present.

Mrs. Carrie Walker has been

## Who-What-?

In every field of human endeavor the man or the product that excels must forever live in the white light of publicity where envy and emulation are constantly at work.

Whether in art, literature, music, science or industry, excellence brings the same rewards and punishment.

Widespread recognition is the reward, and the punishment fierce denial and detraction.

When a man's work becomes a standard for the whole world, it also becomes a target for envious competitors.

The leader is assailed because he is a leader, and the effort to equal him is the proof of his leadership.

Failing to equal him the follower seeks to depreciate and to destroy—but only confirms once more the superiority of that which he wishes to supplant.

There is nothing new in this. It is as old as the world, as old as human passions—envy, fear, greed, ambition and covetousness.

And it avails nothing. The man or the product that has in them the real qualities of leadership remains the leader.

That which is good or great makes itself known no matter how loud the clamor of denial. That which deserves to live—lives.

Who is

## THE 1st PRIZE MERCHANT

in this County?

## Warning to Women

Do not neglect Nature's Warning Signals.

If you suffer from headache, nervousness, sick stomach, constipation, palpitation, hysterics, or a dull heavy feeling in the head, TAKE HEED for nature is saying to you as plainly as if the words were spoken, "I NEED HELP."

The tissues, muscles and membranes supporting your womanly organs need strengthening—need a tonic, need FOOD.

STELLA-VITAE will supply what is needed, will supply it in the form that will bring quickest and most lasting results.

STELLA-VITAE, tested and approved by specialists, has been PROVEN TO BE nature's Great Restorer of strength to the womanly organs. For THIRTY YEARS it has been helping suffering women.

No matter how many remedies you have tried, no matter how many doctors have failed to help you—you owe IT TO YOURSELF to try this great medicine for the ailments of women.

THE TRIAL WILL COST YOU NOTHING unless you are benefited.

We have authorized YOUR dealer to sell you ONE bottle on our positive, binding GUARANTEE of "money back if NOT HELPED." AFTER YOU are satisfied he will sell you six bottles for \$5.00.

Go or send this very day. This very hour, and get that ONE bottle and be convinced that you have at last set your feet firmly on the road to perfect health and strength.

Thacher Medicine Company  
Chattanooga Tenn.

For Sale By J. N. Page.

at the bedside of her daughter. Mrs. Bob Simpson, for the last week or so. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson have the sympathy of a host of friends at the loss of their

## Paramount Pictures

The Best Plays and the Best Players  
For the Best people who Appreciate  
Quality pictures. This weeks Bill  
Is Exceptional.

HOBART BOSWORTH

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"The Country House"

MAY IRWIN

in

"Mrs. Black is Back" 4 Acts

One of America's Funniest Comedies.

Thursday Night

Saturday Night

Parlor Circle Theatre.

## Mules Wanted

I WILL BE IN  
COLUMBIA, KY.

ON

Saturday, Jan., 22, 1916,

To buy Mules from 4 to 6 years old  
and from 15 to 16½ hands high.  
Must be in good flesh and sound.  
Will pay highest market price.

J. M. Howell,

Greensburg, Kentucky.

## FARMERS AND DEALERS IN TOBACCO

Ship Your Tobacco to The

"OLD RELIABLE LOUISVILLE HOUSE"

Where every Hogshhead will have the Best of Attention, and be sold

for its Full Market Value—Returns promptly made—

Four months storage Free.

Glover & Durrett, Mgrs. L. T. Logsdon, Asst. Mgr.

## Rabbits:

Live Rabbits, trap caught, not  
crippled; 15c each. Send them  
to W. T. HODGEN,  
Campbellsville, Ky.

four daughter, which died in  
four days from its birth.

Miss Ruth Holladay, a Lindsey-Wilson pupil, spent the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Kinnaid, of this place.

Mr. Will Walker will leave for Campbellsville Monday, to enter school.

Miss Dorinda Scott has returned to school at Campbellsville.

Miss Gertrude Kinnaid and brother passed through this place en route to Campbellsville, after spending a delightful Xmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kinnaid, of Red Lick.

## J. B. JONES



UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER  
COLUMBIA, KY.

Any kind of a Casket made ready to send out in a few minutes after receiving order. No extra charge for hearse. All kinds of Robes on hand. Over Cumberland Grocery Co. Phone 59 A.

### Foxes

\$2.50 to \$4.00 each; Coons \$1.25 each  
Grey Squirrels 25c. each. Send them  
to W. T. HODGEN,  
Box 242, Campbellsville, Ky.  
1-tf.

### Broken Hearts Mended.

Broken hearts are now being mended. Not the hearts shattered by unfortunate romances, but the valvular organs pierced by knives. Time mends the first kind, but only the skilful surgeon, Zeldler, can be depended on to operate successfully on the knife-torn heart.

Dr. Zeldler has a little hospital at Obuchow in Russia. Thirty-one persons brought to the hospital with hearts pierced and slashed by knife wounds have successfully had their organs repaired and have recovered entirely, to all appearances, from their remarkable experiences.

One patient has lived seven years and shows no signs of having been affected by the heart wound and subsequent sewing up. The patients were all put under the influence of ether very soon after the injury, part of the chest wall was removed, the heart lifted from its bed, and the stitches quickly introduced between pulsations. The bony chest wall over the heart was not put back into place, that organ being left protected only by skin and muscle. This was done to give the heart room to expand and to prevent adhesions from embarrassing the heart's action.

### Coughs and Colds are dangerous.

Few of us realize the danger of Coughs and Colds. We consider them common and harmless ailments. However statistics tell us every third person dies of a lung ailment. Dangerous Bronchial and Lung diseases follow a neglected cold. As your body struggles against cold germs, no better aid can be had than Dr. King's New Discovery. Its merits have been tested by old and young. In use over 45 years. Get a bottle to-day. Avoid the risk of serious Lung ailments. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

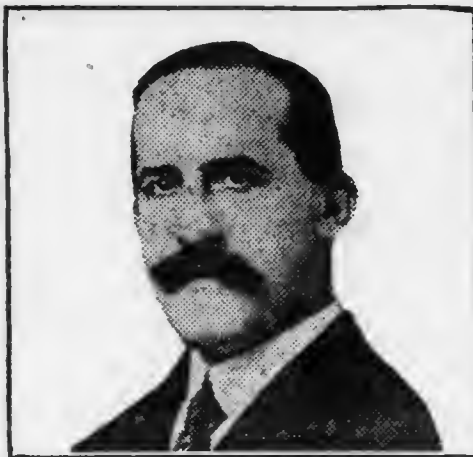
### Curious Big Game Hunting.

The gramophone is sometimes put to strange uses. The leader of an African hunting expedition, who set out on a motor trip from the Cape to Cairo, recently used it as a decoy for tigers and hippopotami. In tiger hunting it is usual to tether a lamb to a tree; its bleatings attract the tiger within reach of the hunters. Before leaving England the explorer had some records made by bleating lambs, and, says a recent writer, he tried them on the unsuspecting tigers of the African jungle with considerable success.

The record makers gained one of their greatest triumphs when they succeeded in getting good nightingale and blackbirds records. The chief difficulty was the objection that birds pay no attention to the sounds of the recording machines. The clever men got round that by setting up a dummy recording machine, in the form of which they put some of

### SOUTHERN DRUG MERCHANT MAKES UNUSUAL STATEMENT

Great Business Losses Due to Neglect



W. WITHERS MILLER

President of the Polk-Miller Drug Company, Richmond, Va., is authority for the following extraordinary statement:

"I estimate that the business men of this country could increase their efficiency fully ten per cent by taking an occasional laxative and not neglecting the bowels as most of them do."

He also said that if the Department of Commerce in Washington would present each business man in the country with a box of Rexall Orderlies, it would be of great benefit to the national welfare. Rexall Orderlies are prompt in action, pleasant to take and never gripe, can be used by men, women or children, and are just the thing for toning up sluggish livers.

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.

PAULL DRUG CO.  
THE REXALL STORE

### HENRY W. DEPP,

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Am permanently located in Columbia.

All Classes of Dental work done. Crowns and Inlay work a Specialty.

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Shoe Store

the bird's favorite food.

When the bird entered the horn to get the food the clock-work was set in motion. The little creature soon grew accustomed to the sound, and so, after much tedious and discouraging labor, successful records were made. These records are selling in thousands all over the world.

### Help Your Liver. It Pays.

When your liver gets torpid and your stomach acts queer, take Dr. King's New Life Pills and you will find yourself feeling better. They purify the blood, give you freedom from constipation, biliousness, dizziness and indigestion. You feel fine—just like you want to feel. Clear the complexion too. 25c at Paull Drug Co. Adv.

J. T. Waggener, aged sixteen, of Paris, jumped from a two story window and walked a mile in the snow in his night clothes and bare feet while asleep.

The British battleship, King Edward VII., struck a mine and sunk within a short time. All the crew of 777 men were saved. This was one of England's modern ships.

The entire submarine warfare of Germany and Austria affecting this country has been practically settled by Germany's recent concession.

### Nine Negroes Killed.

A race war in Early county, Ga., and across the Chattahoochee river, in Alabama, has recently resulted in the killing of nine negroes, the wounding of several whites and the burning of four negro lodge buildings.

The trouble grew out of the murder of J. Villipigue, a white plantation overseer, by negroes—grandison Goolsby and his sons, Mike and Ulysses. The killing of the white man is said to have been caused by a beating which he gave to one of the young Goolsbys.

Immediately mobs and posses started in pursuit of the slayers and are said to have killed nine negroes in the conflict which followed. In retaliation the blacks wounded a number of white men.

Reports that a negro secret organization had delegated Goolsbys and his sons to kill Villipigue caused the burning of four negro lodges. The elder Goolsby was known as one of the leading spirits in negro Ma-on and negro Odd Fellow's lodge in that section and also as a member of several negro organizations.

### A GREAT SUBSCRIPTION OFFER.

We will send the Adair County News one year.  
The Daily Evening Post, one year,  
The Woman's World, one year,  
Home Life, one year,  
Home and Farm, one year.  
People's Popular Monthly, one year.  
A beautiful calendar for 1916 all for \$3.25. If you want reading matter now is the time to subscribe. Adv.

### Typhus and Influenza.

In Mexico there are 250,000 cases of typhus fever, while in the United States more than a million people are now suffering from influenza. The death rate from typhus is abnormally high, while that from influenza is rapidly approaching the figures set by "the grip" which swept the country 20 years ago. Both results from insanitary conditions, both being germ diseases.

In Mexico climatic conditions, utter failure to give attention to sanitary matters, and the ravages of war largely account for the prevalence of typhus fever. In the United States the open winter, exposing decaying vegetables and animal matter, may be the principal contributing cause of influenza. Mexico is without physicians or other medical assistance, Carranza having banished the Red Cross. In the United States doctors are plentiful and are able to afford relief if summoned in time. But beyond all these the people themselves must give attention to cleanliness about homes and premises, and take such other

## Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with a child's constant good health is to keep the bowels regularly open. Sluggish bowels will be followed by loss of appetite, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder.

At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits at once and will eat and sleep normally. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether

too powerful for a child. The homes of Mrs. Carrie McDonald, 1033 Trigg Ave., Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Sallie E. Griffith, Veechdale, Ky., are always supplied with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and with them, as with thousands of others, there is no substitute for this grand laxative. It is really more than a laxative, for it contains superior tonic properties which help to tone and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels so that after a brief use of it all laxatives can be dispensed with and nature will do its own work. Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it the regular way of a druggist at 15 cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample of the home free of charge by sending a card to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, P.O. Box 100, Monticello, N. Y., and enclosing a postal card.

measures as will surpress disease germs, if the public health is to be conserved.

The one great animating principle of medicine and of sanitation today is the prevention of disease, not the cure of it. For nearly a generation in this country public schools and newspapers have been educating the people along health lines, and if what they have been told is put into effect by them influenza and kindred diseases can be stamped out on their first appearance. Upon the people rests the primal responsibility of being well and staying well.

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### Paper Made of Grass.

As a means of conserving the forests in this country, the Department of Agriculture is experimenting with wire grass as a source of supply for pulp for making paper instead of wood pulp. Wire grass, as it is commonly known in the West, grows on the Pacific slope and in Western Mexico. It forms a dense mat of roots and yields in fertile soils sometimes as high as three tons of grass. It is fibrous and tough and can be reduced by the soda process. The use of the "hog," by which wood is reduced to pulp, is entirely done away with.

The paper manufactured from the stock has proven as satisfactory, in physical tests, as a first grade, machine-finished printing paper. It has, moreover, a very satisfactory appearance and feeling. For bleaching however, the experiments showed that more bleaching powder was required than with poplar stock.

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feet per acre. In other words, wood is being used three times as fast as it grows. The consequence is, of course, a continual increase in the price of raw material and the desirability of finding some substitute is obvious.

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## Death of S. T. Walker.

(Continued from page 2.)

been failing for the past few years, his mind was bright and active to the last. He was held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends who are saddened that a good man has passed away.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 o'clock, at the Methodist church in Forest City. Rev. Jesse Murrell, the pastor, spoke words of condolence to the hearts bowed with sorrow. A quartet sang the songs he loved and the body was laid to rest beside those of the children gone before. The floral offerings sent by relatives and friends completely hid the casket from view.—Havana, Ill., paper.

A proposal to pay indemnity for Americans lost in the Lusitania disaster was made to Secretary Lansing by Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, who also gave assurance that noncombatant ships of any character would not be attacked without warning and that safety would be accorded with passengers and crew. No official indication was given as to the acceptability of the proposal, but some officials took the view that it would end the controversy.

### Bad Habits.

Those who breakfast at eight o'clock or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner at six are almost certain to be troubled with indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest before taking another. Not less than five hours should elapse between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may reasonably hope for a quick recovery. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Adv.

The amendment for Woman Suffrage has been reported favorably in the United States Senate.

In Breathitt county seventy-five indictments have been returned against bootleggers.

Five persons were drowned in the icy waters of the Delaware when a skiff capsized.

The Ford Peace Party has at last arrived at The Hague.

Barbourville has opened its \$80,000 school building.

### Clubbing Offer.

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## Farmers Should Grow Alfalfa.

There will be a large extension in the acreage of alfalfa in the Eastern States in the next few years. In many places in this section there is much the same feeling toward alfalfa that the farmers of the West had toward the westward extension of clover. Many have the idea that it can't be grown, and that ends the matter, in their minds.

One of the principal troubles with eastern soils is they are deficient in humus and nitrogen. Nitrogen for most crops and on most land can be obtained by the growth of legumes much cheaper than it can be purchased. In the growing of legumes, select the one that will produce the best returns in feed, under most conditions. Alfalfa is the best legume to grow where it will do well. It will produce more feed that has a higher feeding value, on land that is adapted to its growth, than any other legume.

There is no reason why alfalfa should not be the principal leguminous crop in the East, on most soils, just as it is in the West. And the returns of the farmers in the eastern section of the United States would be much greater if a larger acreage of this crop was grown.

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## Gradyville.

It looks like we might have an ice tide at present.

The coldest wave of the season is on at this time.

We had no mail several days of last week on the account of high water.

We are sorry to say that there are several bad cases of pneumonia fever in this section.

Jesse Dudley, who has been residing in the State of Illinois for the past year, is here on a visit with his father and mother.

Wesley Parson, of Hart county, was here for a few days of last week closing out his real estate.

R. O. Keltner bought, last week, a house and lot in our city. Consideration \$215. Uncle Bob knows a good thing when he sees it.

Arvin Mill, of Liletown, spent a few days here last week with his relatives and friends.

Judge J. W. Kinnaird, of Edmonton, in company with J. H. Kinnaird, of Red Lick, called in to see us on their return from Columbia the first of the week. Judge Kinnaird reports everything moving along nicely in his thriving town. While our old friend J. H., looks as young as he did thirty years ago, and gets around like a boy in his teens.

Nat Walker, of Columbia, was in our midst several days of last week assisting our Sheriff in getting ready for the present term of court, which began Monday.

Strong Hill Esq., spent several days of last week in Green county repairing saw mills, etc.

Our free school closed last Friday. We must say that this has been one of the best schools that we have ever had taught here. Our children, one and all, have advanced rapidly with all their studies. We certainly regret that we could not induce Mr. Aaron to continue the term on a few months longer. Owing to previous engagements, he would not accept.

Thos. Dowell informed us that a Democratic son was born to the wife of Mr. Shuffit, of Green county, last Thursday. Mr. Shuffit is a son-in-law of Mr. Dowell and a very strong Republican, while his wife is just as strong Democrat and the son of course takes after his mother in this respect.

Dolphus Rodgers was considered dangerously sick a day or so of last week. By the close medical attention of Dr. Simmons, he was relieved in a short time.

## Notice to Tax Payers.

The unpaid taxes for 1915 must be paid at once. Beginning this week, I will have deputies in each precinct in the county, and when a person fails to pay I will make a levy. This is the last call, as last year's business must be closed. S. H. Mitchell, S. A. C., 11-21

## WAR SITUATION.

In the Champagne district of France the French are now attacking along approximately the same front as that chosen by the Germans for their recent offensive.

Berlin records a French drive against German positions about two-thirds of a mile wide North of LeMesnil. The attack broke down under the German fire, it is declared, and continuation of the bombardment prevented a repetition of the attack.

In Lille, Northern France, a city held by the Germans since early in the war, an ammunition depot in one of the fortifications blew up. Seventy residents were killed and about fifty injured. The German official announcement states. The people of Lille, says the statement, attribute the explosion to an act of the British.

The British forces under Gen. Townshend have made several sorties from Kut-el-Amara, on the Tigris, each time being repulsed with losses, according to the current statement by the Turkish War office. The official communication makes the definite assertion that this force is surrounded.

It was announced in London that the British relief force coming up the Tigris was at a standstill more than twenty miles down the river. The Turkish unofficial advices have claimed the defeat of this force with heavy losses. The British declare they have the better of the situation and that the halt of Gen. Aylmer's relief column is because of weather conditions and the necessity of removing their wounded by river.

A long-range naval battle in the Black Sea between the Turkish warship Sultan Selim, formerly the German cruiser Goeben, and the Russian battleship Empress Maria is reported by Constantinople. The latter was hit by the Turkish vessel's fire but the Sultan Selim was undamaged, it is declared.

Constantinople claims that considerable losses were suffered by the Entente forces in their evacuation of the tip of the Gallipoli peninsula. Parties of the retreating troops who refused to surrender and fled toward the landing places were wiped out, the Turkish statement asserts.

The German offensive in the Champagne on Sunday was preceded by a twenty-four-hour bombardment, one of the heaviest the Germans have yet developed against the French lines, a Paris dispatch states. A prompt counter attack gave the Germans no time to organize the positions they carried and negated their effort, the dispatch adds.

## Ourselves.

(By R. L. Campbell.)

"Oh would some power the gists give us  
To see ourselves as others see us."

Robert Burns must have been listening to gossip when he

penned the above lines, and if his wish should be granted I am sure that this great country of ours would soon undergo one of the most radical changes of all history. For few, if any of us are exempt from criticism. We deserve it and that is why there is such a productive field for gossip. The little world in which exist is continually expressing itself for or against us. And should we say that we do not cater to its opinions it would be false, for we never become so independent but what we are interested to some extent in what others think of us or have to say about us. Although their opinions may not always flatter or please our vanity, still we are curious to know that opinion. And although the opinions of us as expressed by others may wound our pride, they still may contain an abundance of truth. For "there is none good but one, that is God," and others are quicker to detect flaws in ones character than the person himself. It is strange, but still it is true, that our faults have a way of pushing themselves to the surface, while our virtues, our really good traits of character remain unrevealed and unnoticed. Why this should be true is a mystery to me. Is it possible that we are so selfish that in our mad race for success we will attempt to win by holding a competitor back? Or is it that we try to reveal our virtues by magnifying the vices of others? I sometimes think that this theory is true, but still why should it be? For Christ hath said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Thus do you not think that our virtues would soon reach the surface and become a shining light whereby others might be guided if we would cease to try to place to our own credit the honor that is justly due to our competitor? It is true we all prefer a sweet dose to a bitter one, but still all medicines are not sweet, and it is usually the bitterest dose that does the most good.

Let us stop just a moment and consider the great wide world, what a great big affair it is. And yet what a small portion thereof we each can call our own. Our home, our relatives and a handful of friends, and beyond this we are unknown. A days ride and we are in a land of strangers. We live, we die. A few tears and regrets from our relatives and friends and we are forgotten. The flower has bloomed and faded. But such is the life we are living. When we step out another takes our place and thus the world moves on.

But back to our subject. Is it possible for us to see ourselves and get the same image that is seen by others? Yes, I verily believe that it is if we would but take the time to reflect. This calls to mind a story I once read about two gossips. They were real neighborhood tattlers, and thus they talked about each other. Finally they met one day for a personal combat, and af-

ter a heated discussion they decided to keep a diary of all the things they might hear said about the other during the following week and then to exchange diaries. At the close of the week they compared notes, and it is needless to say that the remarks made about them were anything but pleasant. But it worked to their good. They had had a glance at themselves as others saw them. They ceased to gossip. For faults in themselves that they had never dreamed of were brought to light, and in attempting to guard against these newly discovered faults others were revealed. They soon found that if they would shield themselves they would have no time to gossip on the faults of others.

Yes I am very sure that we could see ourselves as others see us if we but desired to do so. But it may be best that we do not try for the image we thus would confront might frighten us. But still a small glance might work to our good, as it did to the good of the gossips. And I believe that we could get a clearer vision of ourselves if we would induce our enemies to make the notes. Oh yes we all have enemies. We may not call them that, but still in our hearts they are classed as such. That ever present little bird has conveyed to us a remark "some acquaintance has made about us. It cut to the quick. It becomes an eating sore. But still the speaker treats us nicely when we meet him and we treat him likewise. But do we treasure his friendship? I am afraid that we do not always do so. He has seen us as we have not always seen ourselves. That is all. So let us stop and think just a moment. Haven't we said something just about as severe about our friend as the remark he has directed against us? Yes and perhaps that same little bird has conveyed it to his ears. For so is the way of the world.

There is never a bunch of grapes so sweet but one or more of the individual grapes are sour. So let us try and get a little peep at ourselves and if the grape should prove to be sour let us remember that the best cloak with which we can shield our vices is to say nothing about our fellow man that we would be unwilling to have him repeat about us. Then when we are once started on this highway of peace, let us gather up the sun beams that fall around us, and by kind words and gentle deeds, pass them on to others, dispelling, perhaps, many a shadow and living not in vain. Then when at last the winter of life sets in we will have reached the goal, and the record we will leave engraven on the hearts of men will bear witness that we have seen ourselves as others saw us, and this record may prove to be a guiding star to future generations. Who could ask a greater reward?

## Ozark.

The sick of our community are

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Jake Moore, Salesman, Describes  
Benefit He Derived From  
Tanlac.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 18.—A tribute to the value of Tanlac, the peerless preparation, was paid recently by Jake Moore, a salesman for the American Tobacco Company, who lives at 627 Sixth street, Louisville.

"I had been in poor health for two years," Mr. Moore said. "For six months I had been in a really serious condition. I was intensely nervous, suffered from violent headaches, and was generally run down. There was a continual dullness in my forehead. My body seemed benumbed. My friends and business acquaintances commented on the fact that I had no grip when I shook hands with them."

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all better, except Mrs. T. J. Bryant. She grows weaker daily.

School at this place, taught by Mrs. Essie McKinley, will close Friday. She taught seven months. Several of her pupils have gone every day.

Lander Bryant will close his school at Concord next Friday. He has had good attendance. Has about twenty every day.

Buford Montgomery, Henry and Jo Morris were guests of Albert Bryant one night last week.

Mrs. Emma Maupin and little son, Lee, spent last Friday with Mrs. Sallie Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Barger visited John White and family one day recently.

Miss Annie Reeves was a guest of Miss Lula Bryant last Sunday.

Miss Emma Young, of Gabbert, is spending the week with Mrs. June Montgomery.

R. A. Montgomery and Mrs. Bettie Montgomery visited relatives near Gabbert last week.

Eld. Luther Young and wife, of Dunnville, Mrs. Tennie Smith, of Yosemite, and Millard Young, of Knifley, visited their home folks here during Christmas.

Mrs. Clemmie J. Montgomery is quite feeble this winter.

Mrs. J. W. Morris is in declining health. She is confined to her room.

Lawrence Montgomery and family have been quite sick with grip.

J. C. Montgomery and wife and R. A. Montgomery were guests of W. G. Roy last Sunday.

Solomon McKinley, who has been very successful in the sale of fertilizer for several years, is presenting his neighbors and friends with a nice calendar.

Jake Gabbert and wife visited uncle Will Montgomery and family recently.

Miss Maud Bryant was the guest of the Misses Kearnes Sunday.

Prof. Albert Bryant visited Messrs. Collie Murrell and Purdy Bryant during Christmas.